# Executive Summary – Enforcement Matter – Case No. 48600 West Park Municipal Utility District RN101276582

Docket No. 2014-0592-PWS-E

# **Order Type:**

Findings Agreed Order

# **Findings Order Justification:**

Three or more enforcement actions (NOVs, orders, etc.) over the prior five year period for the same violation(s).

#### Media:

**PWS** 

#### **Small Business:**

No

# Location(s) Where Violation(s) Occurred:

West Park MUD, 19310 Katy Freeway, Houston, Harris County

# Type of Operation:

Municipal public water supply

# **Other Significant Matters:**

Additional Pending Enforcement Actions: No

Past-Due Penalties: No

Other: N/A

Interested Third-Parties: None

Texas Register Publication Date: September 12, 2014

Comments Received: No

# **Penalty Information**

**Total Penalty Assessed:** \$187

Amount Deferred for Expedited Settlement: \$187 Amount Deferred for Financial Inability to Pay: \$0

**Total Paid to General Revenue:** \$0 **Total Due to General Revenue:** \$0

Payment Plan: N/A **SEP Conditional Offset:** \$0

Name of SEP: N/A

# **Compliance History Classifications:**

Person/CN - Satisfactory

Site/RN - N/A

Major Source: No

**Statutory Limit Adjustment:** N/A

Applicable Penalty Policy: September 2011

# **Investigation Information**

Complaint Date(s): N/A

**Complaint Information:** N/A

Date(s) of Investigation: March 17, 2014 through March 28, 2014

Date(s) of NOE(s): March 28, 2014

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# **Violation Information**

Failed to comply with the maximum contaminant level ("MCL") of 15 picoCuries per liter for gross alpha particle activity based on the running annual average, and failed to provide public notification for the violation of the MCL for gross alpha particle activity [30 Tex. Admin. Code §§ 290.108(f)(1) and 290.122(b)(2)(A) and Tex. Health & Safety Code § 341.0315(c)].

# Corrective Actions/Technical Requirements

# **Corrective Action(s) Completed:**

N/A

# **Technical Requirements:**

The Order will require the Respondent to:

- a. Within 10 days, implement procedures to ensure that all necessary public notifications are provided in a timely manner to persons served by the Facility, including but not limited to providing public notification regarding the failure to comply with the MCL for gross alpha particle activity for the second quarter 2013;
- b. Within 25 days, submit written certification to demonstrate compliance with Ordering Provision a.;
- c. Within 120 days, update an existing feasibility study and submit a written report or engineering study conducted by a Texas registered professional engineer regarding the results of the feasibility study to evaluate the necessary corrective actions designed to achieve compliance with the MCL for gross alpha particle activity. The report shall include a tentative schedule describing additional studies, tests, or other methods that may be utilized for the completion of necessary corrective actions within 1,095 days. If the Respondent purchases or sells water, a copy of the purchase water contract must be submitted with the feasibility study report or engineering study;
- d. Within 135 days, submit written certification to demonstrate compliance with Ordering Provision c.;
- e. Within 180 days, submit an acceptable written plan, including a proposed schedule, to the Executive Director that provides for the completion of an alternate water source or treatment technology;
- f. Within 180 days, and on a semi-annual basis thereafter, submit progress. These reports shall include information regarding actions taken to provide water which meets the MCL for gross alpha particle activity;

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- g. Within 195 days, submit written certification to demonstrate compliance with Ordering Provision e.;
- h. Within 1,095 days, return to compliance with the MCL for gross alpha particle activity; and
- i. Within 1,110 days, submit written certification to demonstrate compliance with Ordering Provision h.

# Litigation Information

Date Petition(s) Filed: N/A Date Answer(s) Filed: N/A SOAH Referral Date: N/A Hearing Date(s): N/A Settlement Date: N/A

# **Contact Information**

**TCEQ Attorney:** N/A

TCEQ Enforcement Coordinator: Katie Hargrove, Enforcement Division,

Enforcement Team 2, MC 149, (512) 239-2569; Candy Garrett, Enforcement Division,

MC 219, (512) 239-1456

**TCEQ SEP Coordinator**: N/A

Respondent: H. Brock Hudson, President, West Park Municipal Utility District, 3700

Buffalo Speedway, Suite 830, Houston, Texas 77098

**Respondent's Attorney:** N/A

#### Penalty Calculation Worksheet (PCW) Policy Revision 3 (September 2011) PCW Revision August 3, 2011 Assigned 31-Mar-2014 Screening 17-Apr-2014 **EPA Due** 30-Sep-2013 PCW 17-Apr-2014 RESPONDENT/FACILITY INFORMATION Respondent West Park Municipal Utility District Reg. Ent. Ref. No. RN101276582 Facility/Site Region 12-Houston Major/Minor Source Minor **CASE INFORMATION** Enf./Case ID No. 48600 No. of Violations 1 Docket No. 2014-0592-PWS-E Order Type Findings Media Program(s) Public Water Supply Government/Non-Profit Yes Multi-Media Enf. Coordinator Katie Hargrove EC's Team Enforcement Team 3 Admin. Penalty \$ Limit Minimum \$50 **Maximum** \$1,000 Penalty Calculation Section **TOTAL BASE PENALTY (Sum of violation base penalties)** ADJUSTMENTS (+/-) TO SUBTOTAL 1 Subtotals 2-7 are obtained by multiplying the Total Base Penalty (Subtotal 1) by the indicated percentage. **Compliance History** 25.0% Enhancement Subtotals 2, 3, & 7 Enhancement for five NOVs with the same/similar violations. Notes 0.0% Enhancement Culpability No Subtotal 4 The Respondent does not meet the culpability criteria. Notes

Good Faith Effort to Comply Total Adjustments Subtotal 5

No deferral is recommended for Findings Orders.

**Economic Benefit** 

Notes

Notes

PAYABLE PENALTY

STATUTORY LIMIT ADJUSTMENT

Total EB Amounts

Reduces the Final Assessed Penalty by the indicated percentage. (Enter number only; e.g.

Approx. Cost of Compliance

SUM OF SUBTOTALS 1-7

OTHER FACTORS AS JUSTICE MAY REQUIRE

Reduces or enhances the Final Subtotal by the indicated percentage.

\$15,212

\*Capped at the Total EB \$ Amount

0.0%

0.0%

\$150

\$37

\$0

\$0

\$0

\$187

\$187

\$187

\$187

\$0

\$0

Final Subtotal

Final Penalty Amount

Final Assessed Penalty

Reduction Adjustment

Adjustment

Policy Revision 3 (September 2011)

PCW Revision August 3, 2011

Screening Date 17-Apr-2014

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Respondent West Park Municipal Utility District

Case ID No. 48600

Reg. Ent. Reference No. RN101276582

Media [Statute] Public Water Supply Enf. Coordinator Katie Hargrove

Ç	omponent	Number of	Enter Number Here	Adjust.
	NOVs	Written notices of violation ("NOVs") with same or similar violations as those in the current enforcement action ( <i>number of NOVs meeting criteria</i> )	5	25%
		Other written NOVs	0	0%
		Any agreed final enforcement orders containing a denial of liability (number of orders meeting criteria)	0	0%
	Orders	Any adjudicated final enforcement orders, agreed final enforcement orders without a denial of liability, or default orders of this state or the federal government, or any final prohibitory emergency orders issued by the commission	0	0%
	Judgments	Any non-adjudicated final court judgments or consent decrees containing a denial of liability of this state or the federal government (number of judgments or consent decrees meeting criteria)	0	0%
	and Consent Decrees	Any adjudicated final court judgments and default judgments, or non-adjudicated final court judgments or consent decrees without a denial of liability, of this state or the federal government	0	0%
	Convictions	Any criminal convictions of this state or the federal government ( <i>number of counts</i> )	0	0%
	Emissions	Chronic excessive emissions events (number of events)	0	0%
	Audits	Letters notifying the executive director of an intended audit conducted under the Texas Environmental, Health, and Safety Audit Privilege Act, 74th Legislature, 1995 (number of audits for which notices were submitted)	0	0%
		Disclosures of violations under the Texas Environmental, Health, and Safety Audit Privilege Act, 74th Legislature, 1995 ( <i>number of audits for which violations were disclosed</i> )	O	0%
		Ple	ase Enter Yes or No	
		Environmental management systems in place for one year or more	No	0%
OH	Other	Voluntary on-site compliance assessments conducted by the executive director under a special assistance program	No	0%
		Participation in a voluntary pollution reduction program	No	0%
		Early compliance with, or offer of a product that meets future state or federal government environmental requirements	No	0%
		Adjustment Per	centage (Subt	total 2)
₹epe	at Violator (	Subtotal 3)		
	N//	Adjustment Per	centage (Subt	total 3)
Comp	pliance Histo	ry Person Classification (Subtotal 7)		
E	Satisfactory	Performer Adjustment Per	centage (Subt	otal 7)
Com	pliance Histo	ry Summary		
	Compliance History Notes	Enhancement for five NOVs with the same/similar violations.		
		Total Compliance History Adjustment Percentage (S	Subtotals 2 3	2 & 7)

	ening Date		PCW
		West Park Municipal Utility District	Policy Revision 3 (September 2011)
	ase ID No.		PCW Revision August 3, 2011
Reg. Ent. Refe			
		Public Water Supply	
	ooramator tion Number	Katie Hargrove	
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	Rule Cite(s)	30 Tex. Admin. Code §§ 290.108(f)(1) and 290.122(b)(2)(A) and Tex. Safety Code § 341.0315(c)	Health &
Violation	Description	Failed to comply with the maximum contaminant level ("MCL") of 15 picol liter ("pCi/L") for gross alpha particle activity, based on the running a average. Specifically, the running annual average concentrations for groparticle activity were 20 pCi/L for the first quarter of 2013, and 18 pCi/l second, third and fourth quarters of 2013, and failed to provide public not for the violation of the MCL for gross alpha particle activity for the 2nd q 2013.	innual oss alpha Lifor the otification
		Base	e Penalty \$1,000
>> Environmen	tal, Proper	ty and Human Health Matrix Harm	
	Release	Major Moderate Minor	
OR	Actual Potential	X   Percent   15.0%	
>>Programmat		Major Mederato Minor	
	Falsification	Major Moderate Minor Percent 0.0%	
	Eyreeding 1	the MCL for gross alpha particle activity caused the customers of the Facilit	v to be
Matrix Notes		significant amounts of pollutants which do not exceed levels protective of health.	
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		Adjustment	\$850
			\$150
Violation Events	S		Ţ150
	Number of	Violation Events 1 364 Number of violation (	days
	mark only one with an x	daily weekly monthly quarterly semiannual annual	e Penalty \$150
		single event	
		**************************************	
		One annual event is recommended.	
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Good Faith Effo	rts to Com		\$0
		Before NOV NOV to EDPRP/Settlement Offer Extraordinary	. Andrews
		Ordinary	
		N/A X (mark with x)	
		Notes The Respondent does not meet the good faith criteria for this violation.	
		Violation	Subtotal \$150
Economic Bene	fit (EB) for	this violation Statutory Limit	Test
	Estimat	ed EB Amount \$15,212 Violation Final Pena	ilty Total \$188
		This violation Final Assessed Penalty (adjusted fo	or limits) \$188

#### **Economic Benefit Worksheet** Respondent West Park Municipal Utility District Case ID No. 48600 Reg. Ent. Reference No. RN101276582 Media Public Water Supply Percent Interest Violation No. 1 Depreciation 5.0 15 Item Cost Date Required Final Date Yrs Interest Saved **Onetime Costs** EB Amount Item Description No commas or \$ Delayed Costs 0.00 Equipment \$0 \$0 \$0 Buildings 0.00 \$0 \$0 \$0 31-Aug-2018 \$40,000 31-Mar-2013 Other (as needed) 5.42 \$723 \$14,458 \$15,181 **Engineering/Construction** 0.00 \$0 \$0 Land 0.00 \$0 n/a \$0 **Record Keeping System** 0.00 \$0 \$0 n/a Training/Sampling 0.00 \$0 \$0 n/a Remediation/Disposal 0.00 \$0 n/a \$0 **Permit Costs** 0.00 \$0 n/a \$0 1-Jan-2015 Other (as needed) \$100 17-Mar-2014 0.79 \$4 n/a \$4 The delayed cost includes the estimated amount for the Respondent to investigate, identify, and implement the necessary corrective actions to return to compliance with the MCL for gross alpha particle activity, calculated from the last day of the first quarter of noncompliance to the estimated date of compliance. The other delayed cost includes the estimated amount to implement improvements to the Notes for DELAYED costs Facility's process procedures, guidance, training and/or oversight to ensure that public notice is posted and reported to the Executive Director, calculated from the date of the record review to the estimated date of compliance. Avoided Costs ANNUALIZE [1] avoided costs before entering item (except for one-time avoided costs) Disposal 0.00 \$0 \$0 Personnel 0.00 \$0 \$0 \$0 Inspection/Reporting/Sampling 0.00 \$0 \$0 \$0 Supplies/Equipment 0.00 \$0 \$0 \$0 Financial Assurance [2] 0.00 \$0 \$0 \$0 ONE-TIME avoided costs [3] 1.16 \$1 \$25 \$26 Other (as needed) 0.00 \$0 \$0 \$0 The avoided cost includes the estimated amount to provide public notification (\$25 per notice X 1 notice), Notes for AVOIDED costs calculated from the period that public notification was required. TOTAL Approx. Cost of Compliance \$40,125 \$15,212



# EQ Compliance History Report

PUBLISHED Compliance History Report for CN601279185, RN101276582, Rating Year 2013 which includes Compliance History (CH) components from September 1, 2008, through August 31, 2013.

Customer, Respondent, CN601279185, West Park Municipal Utility Classification: SATISFACTORY

**Rating:** 0.33

or Owner/Operator:

Regulated Entity:

RN101276582, WEST PARK MUD

Classification: NOT APPLICABLE

Rating: N/A

**Complexity Points:** 

N/A

Repeat Violator: N/A

CH Group:

14 - Other

**Compliance History Period:** September 01, 2008 to August 31, 2013

Location:

19310 KATY FREEWAY, HARRIS COUNTY, TEXAS

TCEQ Region:

**REGION 12 - HOUSTON** 

ID Number(s):

PUBLIC WATER SYSTEM/SUPPLY REGISTRATION

1011930

Rating Year: 2013

Rating Date: 09/01/2013

Date Compliance History Report Prepared: April 17, 2014

Agency Decision Requiring Compliance History: Enforcement

Component Period Selected: April 17, 2009 to April 17, 2014

TCEQ Staff Member to Contact for Additional Information Regarding This Compliance History.

Name: Katie Hargrove

Phone: (512) 239-2569

### Site and Owner/Operator History:

1) Has the site been in existence and/or operation for the full five year compliance period?

YES NO

2) Has there been a (known) change in ownership/operator of the site during the compliance period?

3) If YES for #2, who is the current owner/operator?

4) If YES for #2, who was/were the prior

N/A N/A

N/A

owner(s)/operator(s)?

5) If **YES**, when did the change(s) in owner or operator

occur?

# Components (Multimedia) for the Site Are Listed in Sections A - J

A. Final Orders, court judgments, and consent decrees:

N/A

**B.** Criminal convictions:

N/A

C. Chronic excessive emissions events:

N/A

D. The approval dates of investigations (CCEDS Inv. Track. No.):

Item 1

January 24, 2011

(891129)

E. Written notices of violations (NOV) (CCEDS Inv. Track. No.):

A notice of violation represents a written allegation of a violation of a specific regulatory requirement from the commission to a regulated entity. A notice of violation is not a final enforcement action, nor proof that a violation has actually occurred.

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Date:

06/04/2013 (1157595)

CN601279185

Classification: Moderate Self Report? NO

30 TAC Chapter 290, SubChapter F 290.108(f)(1) Citation:

09/25/2013 (1157595)

GA MCL 1Q2013 - The system violated the maximum contaminant level for gross Description:

alpha during the 1st quarter of 2013 with a RAA of 20 pCi/L.

CN601279185

Classification: Moderate Self Report? NO

30 TAC Chapter 290, SubChapter F 290.108(f)(1) Citation: GA MCL 202013 - The system violated the maximum contaminant level for gross Description:

alpha during the 2nd quarter of 2013 with a RAA of 18 pCi/L.

CN601279185 3 Date: 01/09/2014 (1157595)

Classification: Moderate Self Report? NO

30 TAC Chapter 290, SubChapter F 290.122(b)(2)(A) Citation: 30 TAC Chapter 290, SubChapter F 290.122(f)

GA MCL PN 2Q2013 Posting and Reporting Violation - Failure to submit a signed Description:

certificate of delivery to the Executive Director certifying that public notice was issued pursuant to 30 Tex. Admin. Code §290.122 during the time period that public notice was required for a violation of the maximum contaminant level for

gross alpha during the 2nd quarter of 2013.

CN601279185 03/11/2014 (1157595) Date: 4

> Classification: Moderate Self Report? NO

30 TAC Chapter 290, SubChapter F 290.108(f)(1) Citation: GA MCL 3Q2013 - The system violated the maximum contaminant level for gross Description:

alpha during the 3rd quarter of 2013 with a RAA of 18 pCi/L.

CN601279185 5 Date: 03/19/2014 (1157595)

Classification: Moderate Self Report? NO 30 TAC Chapter 290, SubChapter F 290.108(f)(1) Citation:

GA MCL 4Q2013 - The system violated the maximum contaminant level for gross Description:

alpha during the 4th quarter of 2013 with a RAA of 18 pCi/L.

#### F. Environmental audits:

N/A

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Date:

# G. Type of environmental management systems (EMSs):

N/A

#### H. Voluntary on-site compliance assessment dates:

#### I. Participation in a voluntary pollution reduction program:

N/A

#### J. Early compliance:

N/A

#### **Sites Outside of Texas:**

N/A

#### **Component Appendices**

#### Appendix A

### All NOVs Issued During Component Period 4/17/2009 and 4/17/2014

1\* Date:

06/04/2013

(1157595)

CN601279185

Classification: Moderate

NO Self Report?

Citation:

30 TAC Chapter 290, SubChapter F 290.108(f)(1)

Description:

GA MCL 1Q2013 - The system violated the maximum contaminant level for gross

alpha during the 1st quarter of 2013 with a RAA of 20 pCi/L.

2 Date:

09/25/2013

(1157595)

CN601279185

Classification: Moderate

Self Report?

For Informational Purposes Only

NO Citation:

30 TAC Chapter 290, SubChapter F 290.108(f)(1)

Description:

GA MCL 202013 - The system violated the maximum contaminant level for gross

alpha during the 2nd quarter of 2013 with a RAA of 18 pCi/L.

3 Date: 01/09/2014

(1157595)

CN601279185

Classification: Moderate

Self Report?

Citation:

NO

For Informational Purposes Only 30 TAC Chapter 290, SubChapter F 290.122(b)(2)(A)

30 TAC Chapter 290, SubChapter F 290.122(f)

Description:

GA MCL PN 2Q2013 Posting and Reporting Violation - Failure to submit a signed

certificate of delivery to the Executive Director certifying that public notice was issued pursuant to 30 Tex. Admin. Code §290.122 during the time period that public notice was required for a violation of the maximum contaminant level for

gross alpha during the 2nd quarter of 2013.

4 Date: 03/11/2014

(1157595)

CN601279185

Classification:

Moderate

Self Report?

For Informational Purposes Only

Citation:

30 TAC Chapter 290, SubChapter F 290.108(f)(1)

Description:

GA MCL 302013 - The system violated the maximum contaminant level for gross

alpha during the 3rd quarter of 2013 with a RAA of 18 pCi/L.

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Date:

03/19/2014

(1157595)

CN601279185

Moderate Classification:

Self Report?

Citation:

30 TAC Chapter 290, SubChapter F 290.108(f)(1)

Description:

GA MCL 4Q2013 - The system violated the maximum contaminant level for gross

alpha during the 4th quarter of 2013 with a RAA of 18 pCi/L.

#### Appendix B

# All Investigations Conducted During Component Period April 17, 2009 and April 17, 2014

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January 24, 2011\*\* Item 1\*

(1157595)

Item 2

March 21, 2014

(1157688)

March 28, 2014 Item 3

<sup>\*</sup> NOVs applicable for the Compliance History rating period 9/1/2008 to 8/31/2013

<sup>\*</sup> No violations documented during this investigation

<sup>\*\*</sup>Investigation applicable for the Compliance History Rating period between 09/01/2008 and 08/31/2013.

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# TEXAS COMMISSION ON ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY



IN THE MATTER OF AN	§	BEFORE THE
ENFORCEMENT ACTION	§	
CONCERNING	§	TEXAS COMMISSION ON
WEST PARK MUNICIPAL UTILITY	§	
DISTRICT	§	
RN101276582	§	ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY

# AGREED ORDER DOCKET NO. 2014-0592-PWS-E

At its \_\_\_\_\_\_ agenda, the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality ("the Commission" or "TCEQ") considered this agreement of the parties, resolving an enforcement action regarding West Park Municipal Utility District ("Respondent") under the authority of Tex. Health & Safety Code ch. 341. The Executive Director of the TCEQ, through the Enforcement Division, and the Respondent presented this agreement to the Commission.

The Respondent understands that it has certain procedural rights at certain points in the enforcement process, including, but not limited to, the right to formal notice of violations, notice of an evidentiary hearing, the right to an evidentiary hearing, and a right to appeal. By entering into this Agreed Order, the Respondent agrees to waive all notice and procedural rights.

It is further understood and agreed that this Order represents the complete and fully-integrated settlement of the parties. The provisions of this Agreed Order are deemed severable and, if a court of competent jurisdiction or other appropriate authority deems any provision of this Agreed Order unenforceable, the remaining provisions shall be valid and enforceable. The duties and responsibilities imposed by this Agreed Order are binding upon the Respondent.

The Commission makes the following Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law:

#### I. FINDINGS OF FACT

- 1. The Respondent owns and operates a municipal public water supply located at 19310 Katy Freeway, Harris County, Texas (the "Facility") that has approximately 677 service connections and serves at least 25 people per day for at least 60 days per year.
- 2. During a record review conducted March 17, 2014, TCEQ staff documented that the running annual average concentrations for gross alpha particle activity were 20 picoCuries per liter ("pCi/L") for the first quarter of 2013, and 18 pCi/L for the second, third and fourth quarters of 2013, and public notification was not provided for the violation of the maximum contaminant level ("MCL") for gross alpha particle activity for the 2nd quarter of 2013.
- 3. The Respondent received notice of the violations on April 1, 2014.

#### II. CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

- 1. The Respondent is subject to the jurisdiction of the TCEQ pursuant to Tex. Health & Safety Code ch. 341 and the rules of the Commission.
- 2. As evidenced by Findings of Fact No. 2, the Respondent failed to comply with the MCL of 15 pCi/L for gross alpha particle activity, based on the running annual average, and failed to provide public notification for the violation of the MCL for gross alpha particle activity, in violation of 30 Tex. ADMIN. CODE §§ 290.108(f)(1) and 290.122(b)(2)(A) and Tex. Health & Safety Code § 341.0315(c).
- 3. Pursuant to Tex. Health & Safety Code § 341.049, the Commission has the authority to assess an administrative penalty against the Respondent for violations of the Texas Water Code and the Texas Health and Safety Code within the Commission's jurisdiction; for violations of rules adopted under such statutes; or for violations of orders or permits issued under such statutes.
- 4. An administrative penalty in the amount of One Hundred Eighty-Seven Dollars (\$187) is justified by the facts recited in this Agreed Order, and considered in light of the factors set forth in Tex. Health & Safety Code § 341.049(b). One Hundred Eighty-Seven Dollars (\$187) of the administrative penalty is deferred contingent upon the Respondent's timely and satisfactory compliance with all the terms of this Agreed Order and shall be waived only upon full compliance with all the terms and conditions contained in this Agreed Order. If the Respondent fails to timely and satisfactorily comply with any requirement contained in this Agreed Order, the deferred amount of the administrative penalty shall become immediately due and payable without demand or notice, and the Executive Director may require the Respondent to pay all or part of the deferred administrative penalty.

#### III. ORDERING PROVISIONS

NOW, THEREFORE, THE TEXAS COMMISSION ON ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY ORDERS that:

1. The Respondent is assessed an administrative penalty in the amount of One Hundred Eighty-Seven Dollars (\$187) as set forth in Section II, Paragraph 4 above, for violations of TCEQ rules and state statutes. The payment of this administrative penalty and the Respondent's compliance with all the terms and conditions set forth in this Agreed Order completely resolve the violations set forth by this Agreed Order in this action. However, the Commission shall not be constrained in any manner from requiring corrective actions or penalties for other violations that are not raised here. Administrative penalty payments shall be made payable to "TCEQ" and shall be sent with the notation "Re: West Park Municipal Utility District, Docket No. 2014-0592-PWS-E" to:

Financial Administration Division, Revenue Operations Section Attention: Cashier's Office, MC 214 Texas Commission on Environmental Quality P.O. Box 13088 Austin, Texas 78711-3088

- 2. The Respondent shall undertake the following technical requirements:
  - a. Within 10 days after the effective date of this Agreed Order, implement procedures to ensure that all necessary public notifications are provided in a timely manner to persons served by the Facility, including but not limited to providing public notification regarding the failure to comply with the MCL for gross alpha particle activity for the second quarter 2013, in accordance with 30 Tex. Admin. Code § 290.122;
  - b. Within 25 days after the effective date of this Agreed Order, submit written certification as described in Ordering Provision No.2.i. below, to demonstrate compliance with Ordering Provision No. 2.a.;
  - c. Within 120 days after the effective date of this Agreed Order, update an existing feasibility study and submit a written report or engineering study conducted by a Texas registered professional engineer regarding the results of the feasibility study to evaluate the necessary corrective actions designed to achieve compliance with the MCL for gross alpha particle activity. The report shall include a tentative schedule describing additional studies, tests, or other methods that may be utilized for the completion of necessary corrective actions within 1,095 days after the effective date of this Agreed Order. If the Respondent purchases or sells water, a copy of the purchase water contract must be submitted with the feasibility study report or engineering study. The evaluation shall be sent to the addresses in listed in Ordering Provision No. 2.i.;

- d. Within 135 days after the effective date of this Agreed Order, submit written certification as described in Ordering Provision No. 2.i. below to demonstrate compliance with Ordering Provision No. 2.c.;
- e. Within 180 days after the effective date of this Agreed Order, submit an acceptable written plan, including a proposed schedule, to the Executive Director that provides for the completion of an alternate water source or treatment technology to the addresses listed in Ordering Provision No. 2.i.;
- f. Within 180 days after the effective date of this Agreed Order, and on a semiannual basis thereafter, submit progress reports to the addresses listed in Ordering Provision No. 2.i. below. These reports shall include information regarding actions taken to provide water which meets the MCL for gross alpha particle activity;
- g. Within 195 days after the effective date of this Agreed Order, submit written certification as described in Ordering Provision No. 2.i. below to demonstrate compliance with Ordering Provision No. 2.e.;
- h. Within 1,095 days after the effective date of this Agreed Order, return to compliance with the MCL for gross alpha particle activity, in accordance with 30 Tex. Admin. Code § 290.108; and
- i. Within 1,110 days after the effective date of this Agreed Order, submit written certification as described below, and include detailed supporting documentation including photographs, receipts, and/or other records to demonstrate compliance with Ordering Provision No. 2.h. The certification shall be notarized by a State of Texas Notary Public and include the following certification language:

"I certify under penalty of law that I have personally examined and am familiar with the information submitted and all attached documents, and that based on my inquiry of those individuals immediately responsible for obtaining the information, I believe that the submitted information is true, accurate and complete. I am aware that there are significant penalties for submitting false information, including the possibility of fines and imprisonment for knowing violations."

The certification shall be submitted to:

Order Compliance Team Enforcement Division, MC 149A Texas Commission on Environmental Quality P.O. Box 13087 Austin, Texas 78711-3087 West Park Municipal Utility District DOCKET NO. 2014-0592-PWS-E Page 5

with a copy to:

Public Drinking Water Section Manager Water Supply Division, MC 155 Texas Commission on Environmental Quality P.O. Box 13087 Austin, Texas 78711-3087

and to:

Technical Review and Oversight Team Water Supply Division, MC 159 Texas Commission on Environmental Quality P.O. Box 13087 Austin, Texas 78711-3087

- 3. The provisions of this Agreed Order shall apply to and be binding upon the Respondent. The Respondent is ordered to give notice of the Agreed Order to personnel who maintain day-to-day control over the Facility operations referenced in this Agreed Order.
- 4. The Executive Director may grant an extension of any deadline in this Agreed Order or in any plan, report, or other document submitted pursuant to this Agreed Order, upon a written and substantiated showing of good cause. All requests for extensions by the Respondent shall be made in writing to the Executive Director. Extensions are not effective until the Respondent receives written approval from the Executive Director. The determination of what constitutes good cause rests solely with the Executive Director.
- 5. The Executive Director may refer this matter to the Office of the Attorney General of the State of Texas ("OAG") for further enforcement proceedings without notice to the Respondent if the Executive Director determines that the Respondent has not complied with one or more of the terms or conditions in this Agreed Order.
- 6. This Agreed Order shall terminate five years from its effective date or upon compliance with all the terms and conditions set forth in this Agreed Order, whichever is later.
- 7. This Agreed Order, issued by the Commission, shall not be admissible against the Respondent in a civil proceeding, unless the proceeding is brought by the OAG to: (1) enforce the terms of this Agreed Order; or (2) pursue violations of a statute within the Commission's jurisdiction, or of a rule adopted or an order or permit issued by the Commission under such a statute.
- 8. This Agreed Order may be executed in separate and multiple counterparts, which together shall constitute a single instrument. Any page of this Agreed Order may be copied, scanned, digitized, converted to electronic portable document format ("pdf"), or otherwise reproduced and may be transmitted by digital or electronic transmission, including but not limited to facsimile transmission and electronic mail. Any signature

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affixed to this Agreed Order shall constitute an original signature for all purposes and may be used, filed, substituted, or issued for any purpose for which an original signature could be used. The term "signature" shall include manual signatures and true and accurate reproductions of manual signatures created, executed, endorsed, adopted, or authorized by the person or persons to whom the signatures are attributable. Signatures may be copied or reproduced digitally, electronically, by photocopying, engraving, imprinting, lithographing, electronic mail, facsimile transmission, stamping, or any other means or process which the Executive Director deems acceptable. In this paragraph exclusively, the terms "electronic transmission", "owner", "person", "writing", and "written" shall have the meanings assigned to them under Tex. Bus. Org. Code § 1.002.

9. The Chief Clerk shall provide a copy of this Agreed Order to each of the parties. By law, the effective date of this Agreed Order is the third day after the mailing date, as provided by 30 Tex. Admin. Code § 70.10(b) and Tex. Gov't Code § 2001.142.

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For the Commission

# SIGNATURE PAGE

TEXAS COMMISSION ON ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY

Pam Maren	10/31/14
For the Executive Director	Date
I, the undersigned, have read and understand the at Park Municipal Utility District. I am authorized to as of West Park Municipal Utility District, and do agre further acknowledge that the TCEQ, in accepting par relying on such representation.	gree to the attached Agreed Order on behalf ee to the specified terms and conditions. I
I understand that by entering into this Agreed Orwaives certain procedural rights, including, but no violations addressed by this Agreed Order, notice evidentiary hearing, and the right to appeal. I agree an evidentiary hearing. This Agreed Order cons Commission of the violations set forth in this Agreed	ot limited to, the right to formal notice of of an evidentiary hearing, the right to an e to the terms of the Agreed Order in lieu of stitutes full and final adjudication by the
<ul> <li>I also understand that failure to comply with the and/or failure to timely pay the penalty amount, may</li> <li>A negative impact on compliance history;</li> <li>Greater scrutiny of any permit applications strength of this case to the Attorney General additional penalties, and/or attorney fees, or increased penalties in any future enforcement. Automatic referral to the Attorney General's and</li> <li>TCEQ seeking other relief as authorized by law In addition, any falsification of any compliance document.</li> </ul>	result in:  abmitted; ral's Office for contempt, injunctive relief, to a collection agency; t actions; s Office of any future enforcement actions; w.
Signature Signature	7/14/14 Date
Name (Printed or typed) Authorized Representative of West Park Municipal Utility District	President Title
Instructions: Send the original, signed Agreed Order with Division, Revenue Operations Section at the add	penalty payment to the Financial Administration lress in Section III, Paragraph 1 of this Agreed Order.